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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
10 AT SEATTLE

11 KING COUNTY,

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

14 BP P.L.C., a public limited company of
15 England and Wales, CHEVRON
16 CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation,
17 CONOCOPHILLIPS, a Delaware
18 corporation, EXXON MOBIL
CORPORATION, a New Jersey corporation,
ROYAL DUTCH SHELL PLC, a public
limited company of England and Wales, and
DOES 1 through 10,

19 Defendants.
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Case No. 2:18-cv-00758

**ORDER GRANTING PARTIES'
STIPULATED MOTION
REGARDING BRIEFING
SCHEDULE FOR DEFENDANTS'
MOTIONS TO DISMISS PURSUANT
TO LOCAL CIVIL RULES 7(d)(1)
AND 10(g)**

21 The Court, having received and reviewed the Parties' Stipulated Motion, and good cause
22 appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

- 23 1. Defendants will file their responses to the Complaint by **July 27, 2018**.
- 24 2. Defendants shall coordinate their efforts to file a consolidated memorandum of
25 law in support of their motions to dismiss under Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 12(b)(1) and/or
26 12(b)(6). If any Defendant wishes to file its own, individual memorandum in support of a
27 Motion to Dismiss under Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 12(b)(1) and/or 12(b)(6), it shall only
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1 advance arguments unique to the Defendant filing the individual memorandum and shall not
2 repeat arguments advanced in the consolidated memorandum.

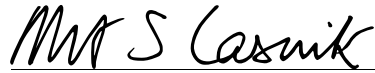
3 3. Any Defendant that wishes to challenge personal jurisdiction, insufficient
4 process, or insufficient service of process will file an individual memorandum of law pursuant
5 to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 12(b)(2), (4), and/or (5). As part of efforts to consolidate
6 and organize briefing, the Parties have agreed, and this Court acknowledges, that the restrictions
7 in Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 12(g) and 12(h) regarding multiple motions to dismiss do
8 not apply to motions to dismiss filed by July 27, 2018.

9 4. Plaintiff shall serve any responses to Defendants' motions to dismiss by
10 **September 14, 2018.**

11 5. Defendants shall serve their reply briefs by **October 5, 2018.** Defendants shall
12 file a consolidated reply memorandum of law in support of their motions to dismiss under Rules
13 12(b)(1) and/or 12(b)(6) regarding arguments made in Defendants' opening consolidated
14 memorandum.

15 6. Neither the Stipulated Motion nor this Order shall operate as an admission of
16 any factual allegation or legal conclusion, nor shall it operate as a waiver of any right, defense,
17 affirmative defense, claim, or objection, including lack of personal jurisdiction, insufficient
18 process, or insufficient service of process.

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20 Dated this 12th day of June, 2018.

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23 Robert S. Lasnik
24 United States District Judge
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